

CORN BELT BEGINS PLANTING

Here and There

Editorial By ALEX. H. WASHBURN

A STOUT gentleman whom I suspect was until recently a politically passionate Swede farmer in the hills of Wisconsin handed me a copy of some newspaper as I was going through the postoffice the other day. I brought it on back to the office, and now, after a lapse of several days, I am looking at it. It is LaFollette's Progressive, the weekly paper which the late Senator Robert M. LaFollette founded at Madison, Wis., in 1909.

Broadway Tourists to Reach Hope at 3 o'Clock Tuesday

California Caravan Passes Midland, Texas, at 9 a. m. Monday

LOCAL DELEGATION

Two Hope Cars Will Join No. 67 Tour to Nashville Convention

The Broadway of America motorcade, which left San Diego, Calif., last week, was rolling toward Hope Monday, a telegram received here by Gus Benier, stated. Mr. Benier is an Arkansas director of the highway association.

At 9 a. m. Monday the motorcade was at Midland, Texas. The caravan is due in Hope at 3 p. m. Tuesday where it will be joined by delegates of this city.

To Nashville, Tenn.
The motorcade will depart 15 minutes later for Nashville, Tenn., where the national convention opens April 12. Two carloads of Hope citizens are pledged to join the motorcade.

The Broadway motorcade is headed by Frank Forward of San Diego, representing Governor Merriam of California, and Leo Helzel of El Centro, first vice-president of the Broadway of America association.

Others in the party, according to the telegram received here are: Captain W. M. Dunne, representing Arizona's governor; Col. Willard Holt, representing New Mexico's governor; "Dusty" Waller, El Paso cowboy;

Hope Woman Ill in Poison Attempt

Mrs. W. M. Reeves, Jr., Reported in Attempted Suicide Here

Mrs. W. M. Reeves, Jr., was seriously ill Monday as the result of poison alleged to have been taken Saturday night with suicidal intent.

She was removed Monday to the home of a sister at Waldo. Mrs. Reeves was said to have been estranged from her husband. She left two notes, one addressed to her mother, the other to Mrs. W. M. Reeves, Sr.

Contents of the notes were not divulged. Domestic difficulties were blamed.

Local Chicken Goes in for Unusual Eggs

J. W. Griffin, 805 South Walnut street, possesses a White Rock hen that for 90 days has laid malformed eggs. The shell has never been straight and regular. It always has outlines of various objects, some being thin and others plain. Mr. Griffin said.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Guests may be unwelcome for hosts of reasons.

Lumber Companies Here to Stay on Code Indefinitely

All Concerns Now Under Blue Eagle to Remain There for Present

BRUCE QUILTS CODE

Big Arkansas Concern Shakes Industry by Abandoning Regulations

While some of the larger lumber industries of the state have declared open rebellion against NRA, Hope lumber concerns for the present, will stick to code regulations, a survey by The Star revealed Monday.

J. L. Williams & Sons announced that no immediate change in hour and wage scale is contemplated. The company is paying one cent above the minimum NRA hour scale, and will maintain that schedule until the legal outcome is determined by some of the companies that have abandoned the NRA.

Handle Co. Stays On

Officials of Bruce-Henry Handle company said that this concern was maintaining the NRA hour and wage code, and that no plans had been made to drop the Blue Eagle.

Hope Basket company officials said that its plant is paying the minimum hour scale, and that no orders have

Bruce Men Report

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Max H. Haden, manager of the E. L. Bruce Lumber company here, said Monday that every one of the company's 435 employees reported for work Monday as a 56-hour week and decreased hourly pay became effective at the plant. The company last week announced the abandonment of NRA minimum hours and wages.

been received from headquarters at Dallas to make any changes.

Hope Handling company said NRA regulations were not in effect there, and that many cooperative companies over the state never joined the NRA. No changes in hour and wage scales are contemplated by the handling company.

Bruce Off Code

E. L. Bruce Lumber company at Little Rock, which has one of the largest payrolls in that city, went off the code Saturday. A notice published at the plant said:

"Effective April 8 this mill will operate on a 56-hour basis. Hours of work will be from 7 a. m. to 12 noon and from 12:30 p. m. to 5:30 p. m. from Monday until Friday inclusive, and from 7 a. m. to 1 p. m. on Saturdays.

"While all employees will receive more money per week on the above number of hours, a change in your hourly rates will be necessary and your respective foremen will advise each individual as to what his new rate will be."

Bruce Quits NRA

LITTLE ROCK.—Out of conference at the NRA state office today may come a decision to proceed at once in federal court to obtain a ruling on the lumber code, which several companies have announced they will no longer comply with. J. J. Harrison, NRA state compliance director, said Sunday.

E. D. McLaughlin, executive assistant to Mr. Harrison, returned to Little Rock Sunday from West Helena, where he investigated the situation with respect to the Chicago Mill and Lumber Company, which has closed its mill following the strike of employees objecting to reduction in wages and lengthening of the work week.

Status of the E. L. Bruce Company' Little Rock plant, since notice was posted that hereafter wages and hours would not be as prescribed in code, will enter into the discussion, Mr. Harrison said. He and Brooks Hays, NRA labor compliance officer and legal adviser will hear Mr. McLaughlin's report on the West Helena developments, and will inquire into conditions at the Bruce plant.

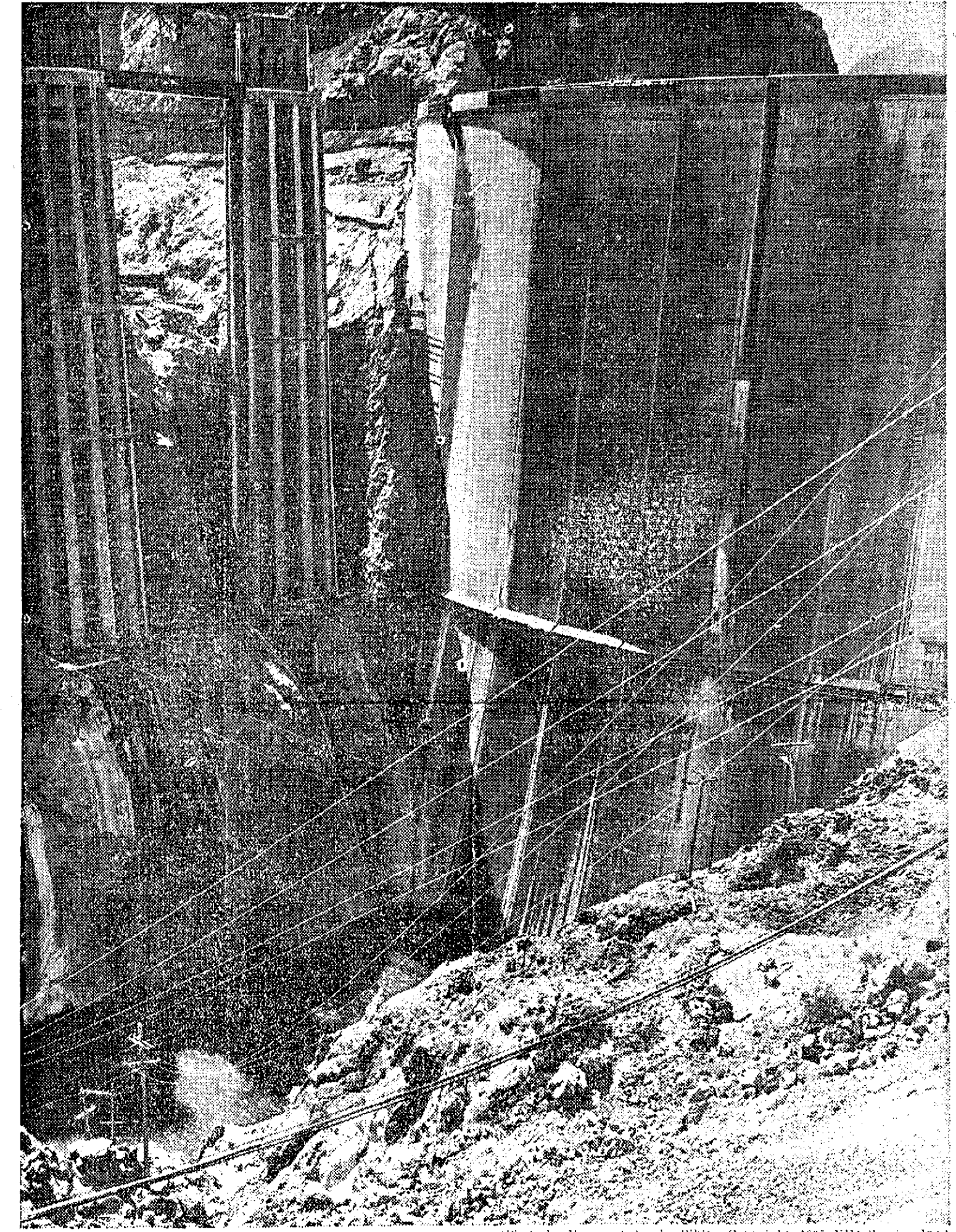
Suit May Name Others.
However, litigation to test the code may not be instituted first against either the Bruce Company or the Chicago Mill and Lumber Company, Mr. Harrison said. An investigator for the NRA state office has spent the past few days in Mississippi county obtaining evidence of reported lumber code violations involving two companies there, and suit may be brought against them without delay.

Any evidence which Mr. Harrison considers as justification for an application in federal court for an injunction will be submitted to United States Attorney Fred A. Isgrig, probably this afternoon, and action, if decided upon, is expected by Wednesday.

Mr. Harrison said he did not believe mere announcement of intention to disregard the code could be construed as a violation, and that it might be necessary to await the actual payment of employees at less than code

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Boulder Dam, Miracle in Stone, Nears Completion on the Desert of Nevada



(Photo by Margaret Bourke-White; Copyright, 1935, NEA Service, Inc.)

7 Are Convicted in Circuit Court

Eighth Case on Trial at Washington at 3 o'Clock Monday

Proceedings in Hempstead circuit court at Washington moved swiftly Monday in the first day of session of criminal court.

Even conviction had been obtained at 3 p. m. A jury was listening to testimony of an eighth case.

Convictions and sentences followed: C. C. Mitchell, possessing still and manufacturing liquor, given a one-year suspended sentence on each count on each charge.

O. Z. Watson pleaded guilty to two charges of burglary and two charges of grand larceny. Sentences ranging from two to five years were meted out on each charge.

George Elverson pleaded guilty to burglary and grand larceny. The case was also 1-6 sentence.

Curly Moore was convicted of burglary and sentenced to two years.

E. L. Lee pleaded guilty to selling

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Last Concrete on the 766-Foot Dam to Be Poured Next Month

American Engineers Regain Honor of Building World's Largest Artificial Lake, Creating Power, Irrigating Desert

Boulder Dam is a project that defies superlatives and story of its construction is one of the most enthralling in the history of all man-made wonders. This story is the first of a series of six telling of the motives, the methods, the machines, the materials, and the men making possible the success of the colossal undertaking.

BY OREN ARNOLD
NEA Service Special Correspondent

Boulder City, Nev., Builder dam is about done. The last concrete will be poured in May. The electric power will be turned on in September. A year from now the job will be finished two years or more ahead of schedule.

Boulder Dam has mushroomed into being while much of the world oozed through a "depression." The machine touches are going on now. This very summer you may point your car into a new highway and roll right up to the top of this engineering miracle of the age.

Not one person in a thousand has an adequate conception of what Boulder Dam means of what has been done here on the Arizona-Nevada boundary line 180 miles northeast of Las Angeles and 200 miles southwest of Salt Lake City.

It is a project of superlatives.

The biggest, the highest, the thick-

Felony Conviction Held Bar to Office

Presidential Pardon Makes No Difference, Says State Supreme Court

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—The Arkansas Supreme Court Monday held that a presidential pardon does not restore right of one convicted of a felony to hold office in this state.

The court divided sharply on the ruling, but the majority decreed that W. O. Irby, described in the record as having pleaded guilty in 1921 to the embezzlement of funds while postmaster at St. Francis, and who subsequently was pardoned by President Hoover, could not hold the office of Clay county judge to which he had been declared elected last fall.

His nomination and election were heatedly contested by M. O. Minton, another candidate.

The supreme court's decision Monday had the effect of ousting Irby from office.

Governor Fretwell said that under his view of the law the county judge who went out of office January 1, new county judge under a constitutional provision that an officer shall remain in office until his successor is elected and qualified.

The governor said he would neither call an election nor appoint a successor.

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Anxious Farmers Eye Twin Threat Drouth and Bugs

Middle West Crop Prospects in General Are Considered Improved

COLD SNAP STRIKES

Low of 38 1/2 in Hempstead Accompanied by Light Frost

DES MOINES, Iowa.—(AP)—The Corn Belt stirred with new life Monday as Midwestern farmers, with a speculative eye on the weather, prepared the soil to help fill the nation's breadbasket.

Crop prospects were considered improved over last year, but two dark spots loomed on the horizon.

An ominous-looking drouth, which spelled disaster to crops last year, still hung on the fringe of the Corn Belt; and the threat of a chinch bug invasion hovered over the area.

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—Arkansas still shivered from chilly breezes Monday, but looked hopefully toward fulfillment of forecasts of fair and warmer weather for an early termination of winter's visit to the state.

The Weather Bureau here reported that the mercury dropped to 41 degrees early Monday—23 degrees lower than Saturday's minimum.

The mercury fell to 38 1/2 degrees in Hempstead county early Monday, accompanied by a light frost. No damage to crops was reported however; and the forecast is for fair and warmer weather.

Hope Given \$610 by Fireman's Fund

Prescott Awarded \$339, Nashville \$240 on State Apportionment

Seventy-six cities and towns have qualified under Act 491 of 1921 to participate in the fireman's pension fund, U. A. Gentry, state insurance commissioner, has announced.

The fund to be shared totals \$39,479.82, as against \$34,826.77 shared by 75 towns last year.

The amount apportioned to Hope is \$610.08. Prescott will receive \$339.65; Nashville will get \$240.24.

Child, Home From Texas, Is Stricken

Givens Baby, Returned From Tyler, Is Meningitis Victim

Mildred Virginia Givens, five-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Givens, died early Monday at the home of Mrs. Della Mae Foster, West Division street. Death was caused by meningitis.

The parents and child formerly lived at Centerville. They moved to Tyler, Texas, about six weeks ago, and only recently returned to this county.

Hope Child Burned in Stove Explosion

Johnny Brannan, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brannan, was recovering Monday from burns received in an explosion of a kitchen stove last Friday.

The youth's condition was not considered serious, although he is painfully burned about the face, head and one arm. Escaping gas from the stove exploded when the lad lighted a match to heat the oven.

Experiments are being made with magnesium sulphate, or epsom salts, in hopes of finding a material lighter than aluminum.

Markets

Cotton
NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—Cotton opened steady a shade higher Monday on favorable Liverpool cables and a better tone in the stock market. July rose from 11.02 to 11.05 in the first hour. October was firm to seven points higher at 10.71.

The market was helped by heavy rains in the eastern belt which will delay planting and some dust storms in the northwest. Grains were higher which was a steady influence.

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Cotton futures opened very steady, two to five higher on foreign buying which offset disappointing Liverpool cables. May 11.01; July 11.09; October 10.73; December 10.79; January 10.81; March 10.84.

Society

Mrs. Sid Henry

Telephone 321

The Happiest Heart

Who drives the horses of the sun
Shall lord it but a day;
Better the lowly deed were done,
And kept the humble way.

The rust will find the sword of fame,
The dust will hide the crown;
Ay, none shall nail so high his name
Time will not tear it down.

The happiest heart that ever beat
Was in some quiet breast
That found the common daylight
Sweet.

And left to Heaven the rest.
—Selected.

Mrs. Mary Carter is spending some time visiting with relatives and friends in Pine Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley Howard who have been guests of Mrs. Howard's parents left Sunday for their home in Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Miss Maggie Bell left Sunday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marshall in Texarkana.

As a beautiful post-nuptial compliment to Mrs. Albert Graves, who prior to her recent marriage was Miss Alice Fritchard, Mrs. Eula Brantman entertained on Saturday afternoon at bridge at the home of Miss Lucy Boyd on North Elm street. The living room was beautifully decorated with white snapdragons and locust blooms and bowls of white roses, the sun parter decorations were in purple and orchid with lovely red tulips gracing the dining room. Bridge was played from three tables. The guests included the pre-nuptial hostesses and members of the bride party. Prizes were won by Miss Harriet Story and Mrs. Frances McGregor and the honoree was presented with a beautiful remembrance. Following the game, the hostess served a most attractive salad and dessert plate with fruit punch on small tables centered with silver bud vases holding Talisman roses. Callers

during the tea hour were Mrs. Elizabeth Pritchard, Mrs. O. A. Graves and Mrs. Sid Henry.

Mrs. J. D. Hammonds and Mrs. Dick Parlow and Miss Annie Mae Graves, who have been house guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Graves have returned to their homes in Hot Springs and Malvern respectively.

Coch and Mrs. Foy Hammonds have as house guest, Mr. Hammonds brother, Homer, of California.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon McLarty and son James, and Mrs. Pat Rising and daughter, Katherine, were Sunday visitors in Hot Springs.

The Altar Society of Our Lady of Good Hope church was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Albright with Mrs. Johnson as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Darnall of Columbus announce the marriage of their daughter, Frances Lenora to Carl Stanley Bryant of Oakdale, La. The wedding took place at the home of the bride in Columbus, at 2 p. m. Saturday April 6. With Father Stussner of the Catholic church of Hope officiating. The bride wore a navy blue suit with triple sheer crepe, with matching accessories and her flowers were Talisman roses. Mr. Bryant is manager of the Cookware Co., of America. Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant left for Southern Louisiana points.

The John Cain chapter, D. A. R. will hold their April meeting with a "cock" luncheon on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Chas. Haynes on West Second street, with Mrs. Gus Haynes and Mrs. J. J. Battle as associate hostesses. Mrs. Chas. Locke will lead the program on Historical Spots of Florida.

Miss Rebecca Norton of Little Rock was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Norton.

There will be a called meeting of the Clara Lowthorp chapter C. of C. at the home of the sponsor, Mrs. R. T. White at 4 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon.

The marriage of Miss Selma Lee Bartlett and Wesley E. Sawyer of Little Rock was beautifully and impressively solemnized Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church. The Rev. Wallace R. Rogers, church pastor read the marriage service in the presence of a large assembly of relatives and friends, using the ring ceremony. The church was artistically and prettily decorated in the green and white motif. Southern snail was baked against the choir rail forming an effective background for the four baskets of calla lilies and ferns which were placed on either side of the place of ceremony. Tall white tapers in branch candelabra cast a soft glow over the church. Large white flowers of tulips marked the pews reserved for the relatives and close friends. Preceding the ceremony, Miss Helen McGee violinist, accompanied by Miss Pansy Wimberly played "Love's Old Sweet Song," and Miss Frances Jean Meadows of Arkadelphia, accompanied by Miss Wimberly sang, "I Love You Truly." Wagner's "Lohengrin," with Miss Wimberly at the piano and Miss McLaue, violinist, announced the entrance of the bride party and the wedding march was used for the recessional. During the taking of the vows, Misses Wimberly and McLaue played Liszt's "Liebestraum" softly. The ushers, who began the bridal procession down the aisle were Lawrence Martin, Charles Archer of Little Rock and Jimmie Cook. The bridesmaids, Miss Elizabeth Stuart of Arkadelphia, Miss Maribelle King and Miss Willie Bell, Aubrey of Ashdown, Maid of honor and Mrs. Phillip Collins, sister of the bride and maid of honor came down the aisle alone. They wore handsome models of pink moire designed on simple lines, floor length and their hair were drooping models of moire and maline, they carried pink roses. Preceding the bride were her cousins, little Misses Bettie Sue and Mary Lou Melver, who scattered rose petals in her path. They wore dainty gowns of pink georgette and their baskets were decorated with pink roses; the ring was carried in a calla lily by Master John Neal Yocom of DeQueen. The bride who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in her wedding gown of white satin, fashioned

along plain lines, with long sleeves and the skirt ending in a long train; her veil was of white tulle, lace trimmed, and hung from a cap of tulle, banded with orange blossoms and fell to the end of her train, her flowers were a shower of white roses and valley lilies. A reception for the relatives and members of the bridal party was held after the ceremony, at the home of the bride on West Fourth street. Pink roses and ferns were used in decorating the reception room, with the bridal motif prevailing in the dining room, where a lace covered table held an all-white tiered wedding cake surrounded with burning tapers in crystal holders. The guests were received by Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett and the bride and groom and members of their bridal party. Those assisting in the dining room were Miss Margery Bartlett and Miss Frances Lipscomb. A delightful ice course was served with the wedding cake. Immediately after the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Sawyer left for a short wedding trip to Hot Springs and East Arkansas points. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bartlett and is a graduate of Hope High School and attended Ouachita College, Arkansas, and for the past five years has been a member of the Guernsey High School faculty. Mr. Sawyer, whose family lives in McGee, Ark., is a graduate of Ouachita college and is now connected with Sears & Roebuck in Little Rock, where they will reside on their return from their honeymoon trip. Out of town relatives and friends attending the wedding were Miss Margery Bartlett of Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yocom and son of DeQueen, Miss John Stuart and Mrs. Meadows, Miss Frances Jean Yocom, Charles Archer of Little Rock and Miss Willie Bell Aubrey of Ashdown.

The pre-school study group will meet Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Eugene White, 815 East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duffie and children spent Sunday in Keo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. Faye James spent Sunday in Little Rock visiting with friends and relatives.

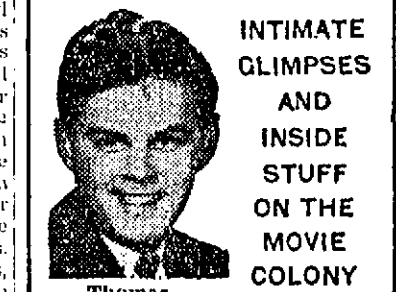
Miss Evelyn Lewis left Sunday for Forrest City where she has accepted a position with the United States Department of Agriculture, in the soil erosion department.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mills have moved into their home at 319 Greening street.

In celebration of her tenth and his sixth birthday, Mary Darnell and Bobby Lyle Bearden entertained a group of their friends Saturday afternoon. After a number of games the following were served refreshments: Mary Dell Southward, Jane Hill, Betty June and Joe Ann Allen, Eva Jean Milam, Maxine and Bill Wyatt, Mary Joe Dickinson, Phannie Fuller, Geraldine Trevillon, Anna Faye Thrash, Altona May and Mary Helen Crosby, Douglas and Dorothy Faye Mullins, Momen and Jerry Clements, Jonnie Lee Womack, Elizabeth Rose and Charlene Wiggins, F. B. Ward, Martin and Bobby Lee Butler, Mack May, Camilla and Reva Jean Roberts, Betty Jean and Sara Jane Murphy, Mary Frances Russell, Eannie Dale Baker, Doris Ree and Nell Urey, Marion Stewart, Kinard Young, Sonny Green, Allice Larine Herd, Robert Smith, Geraldene and Emmett Jr., Whitten, Polly Tolerson, and Marjorie Osteen.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Taylor from Murfreesboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bearden.

HOLLYWOOD GOSSIP



Thomas

BY DAN THOMAS

Orange Growers May Get Hollywood Again

HOLLYWOOD—The high moguls of filmdom are advocating giving Hollywood back to the orange growers. And it that happens the name Hollywood can take its place along with other names which once meant so much to moviedom—D. W. Griffith, Rudolph Valentino, Nazimova, Theda Bara, Lillian Gish, Pearl White, and William S. Hart. Like theirs, it will become just a vague memory.

Until a few days ago, nobody here attached any real seriousness to the threats made by Joseph M. Schneck and Louis B. Mayer about moving the film industry out of California. Now, however, it appears that these threats are not just idle talk. Definite plans are being made to carry them out.

And, unless immediate steps are taken by the state (such as killing the proposed state income tax law) to keep the industry here, the "California, Here I Go" movement will be under way by the end of this year.

For this statement I have the authority of Louis B. Mayer, president of the Producers Association and production chief of the gigantic Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio.

Will Keep Stars Out

"The proposed income tax law, amounting to one-third of the income tax paid to the federal government, will prevent our studios from obtaining big stars, directors, and writers," Mayer declares. "They will not work here and be taxed to death. Naturally, that will necessitate moving our studios to some other state."

"We aren't bluffing. Since the most expensive part of our equipment is portable, the entire industry could be moved for \$10,000,000. Just when that move will be made depends upon the tax program. I hope it is severe enough right away to bring the issue to a head."

"If we don't move this year, it will

Sweaters Given 7 Washington Boys

Basketball Team Won 10 Games, Lost 4 in Past Season

Honor sweaters have been awarded to seven members of the Washington High School basketball team, Coach Norvel W. Kelly announced Monday.

Those receiving sweaters are: Captain Carl Martin, Lester Watkins, Jennings Cox, Eugene Redmon, Lorenzo Tate, Willis Williams and Samuel Merrill.

Members of the team presented Coach Kelly and Mrs. C. C. Stuart, principal, with sweaters.

The Washington team finished the season with a record of 10 victories against 4 defeats. Five lettermen will return to the squad next season.

Lumber Companies

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seals before proceedings in court to enforce NRA requirements.

Supported Code In Past
A significant feature, pointed out by Mr. Harrison, is that lumber companies now threatening to go off the code have been in the past among staunch supporters of NRA regulation. This has been regarded by some as an indication that the companies are hopeful that by adopting a course of non-compliance they will impress upon Washington authorities the desirability of taking whatever steps are necessary to continue NRA and enforce the code.

Dissatisfaction with the government's attitude has been expressed by leading lumbermen since the Department of Justice chose to drop the appeal to the United States Supreme Court in the case involving the lumber code.

7 Are Convicted

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liquor and was given a one-year suspended sentence.

Henrietta Wright pleaded guilty to burglary and grand larceny, case continued for sentence.

Grover Smith, carnal abuse, was found guilty by a jury and sentenced to one year.

The case of Freddie Mack was being heard by a jury at 3 p. m. He is charged with burglary.

The first murder case will probably be heard Tuesday when Joe Maxwell, negro, goes on trial for the fatal shooting of another negro.

lock as though we are bluffing and the legislature will make it tougher on us next year.

"Frankly, I think unbearable taxes are bound to come in California. We are getting far more than our share of unemployed. They are becoming voters. As a result more laws continually are being passed to create more social service. None of these laws ever is repealed."

Good for Eastern Execs

Offhand, you'd think the world's fourth largest industry would have sufficient political influence to defeat any proposed tax laws directed primarily against it, just as it defeated Upton Sinclair in his gubernatorial race last fall.

Probably it has. But that's where the catch comes. Eastern executives, the men who really control the industry, have issued orders against putting up any kind of a fight. For years these men have voted the production end of the business where they could keep an eye on it. Now they see a way to force such a move. And they're going to do it.

Nor will the move be toward Florida. It's a ten-to-one shot that the future movie capital will be in New Jersey. That state has offered to build studios for each of the film companies. These studios always would be owned by the state and rented at a reasonable figure to the various companies.

Film officials believe that having the studios remain state property will be an assurance against overburdening taxes being passed by the New Jersey legislature.

Bad for California

And what will happen to California without the movie industry? That is something which so far hasn't received much thought. Until now all the talk has pertained to what the tax law would do to the big moneyed people.

Apparently nobody has yet realized the sweeping effect which exodus of the industry would have on the entire state.

Los Angeles and some of the nearby towns would be virtually ruined. Thousands of small salaried persons now employed by the film industry would be thrown out of work. Hundreds of stores, restaurants, and other small enterprises employing additional thousands would be forced to close their doors.

Nearly all small banks would fail. Real estate values would sink to practically nothing.

News-apers would drop in circulation and, with the buying power of the community shot to pieces, would lose a vast amount of advertising. Millions of dollars annually spent by tourists, attracted largely by the movie industry, would go elsewhere.

The net result would be additional thousands thrown upon the mercy of various relief organizations, necessitating much federal relief and enormous taxes on every business and individual in the state to take care of them.

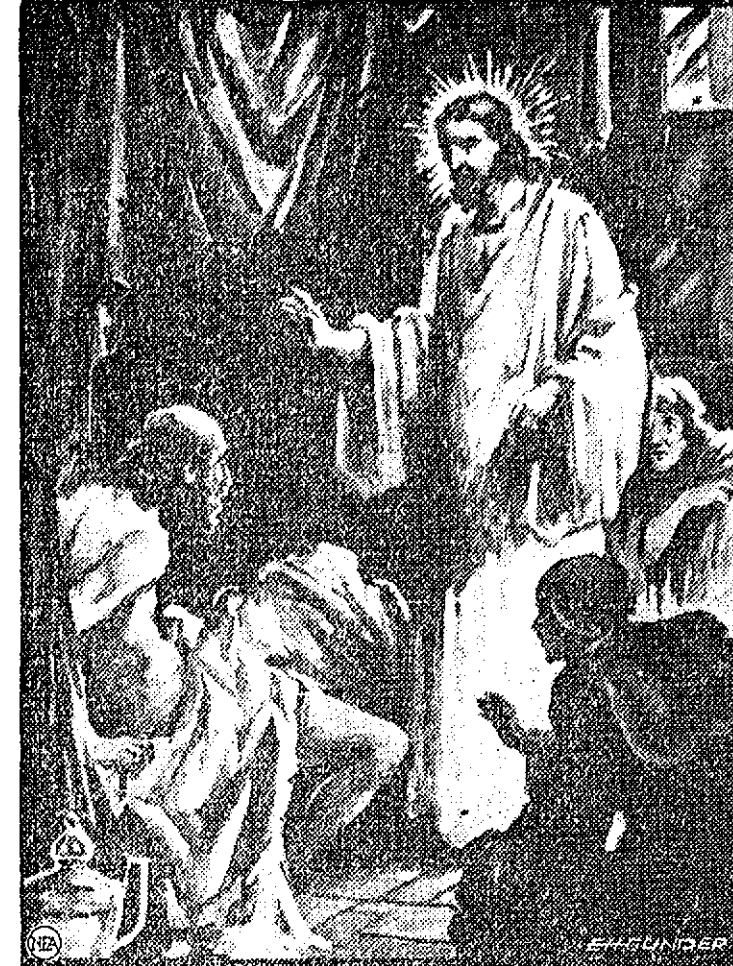
Instead of being the Golden State, California would become the "poorhouse" of the nation.

Despite all this, executives believe the tax laws will be passed. So they are making preparations to move to New Jersey.

With the Republicans keeping mum right now, Herbert Hoover seems to be the life of the party.

The average adult person drinks approximately a ton of water every year.

The STORY of EASTER



In the thirty-third year of His life on earth, knowing that His days of public ministry were numbered, Jesus turned toward Jerusalem for His final, triumphant entry into the Holy City. He went first to Bethany, where with Mary, Martha, and their brother Lazarus, He was to stay during the last week of His mortal life. Jesus trained His disciples to carry forward His work after His departure from them. Meanwhile, among the multitudes streaming toward Jerusalem for the annual Paschal celebration, the outstanding question was, would He, who had recently clinched many miracles by raising Lazarus from the dead, come to the feast? And in the Holy City itself, the rulers, fearing that Jesus' power over the people would bring about a revolt against the Roman power, and consequent ruin to Jerusalem and its Temple, plotted His death.

NEXT: Multitude pays homage to Jesus in Jerusalem.

Thousands of Germans are undergoing sterilization to blot out feebleness. If this keeps on, who will be left to support Hitler?

Think how much money could be saved if those bald-headed gentlemen who buy hair restorers would only realize this is the streamline age.

FORMAL OPENING

Mary's Beauty Shop

WEDNESDAY
April 10
from
2 to 7 p. m.

We are having the formal opening of our new beauty shop on Elm street and cordially invite the ladies of Hope and the surrounding territory to attend. We are mighty proud of our new location and shop and want all to see it. Do plan to pay us a visit during our opening.

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Tues
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UNA MERKEL
—In—

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(112" Wheelbase)

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(157" Wheelbase)

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British Statesman

HORIZONTAL

1. Who is the statesman in the picture?

2. One who lo-
cates.

3. Of foreign ori-
gin.

4. To press.

5. African table
land.

6. Tissue.

7. Curse.

8. Mollifies.

9. The tip.

10. Corpse.

11. To subsist.

12. Dye.

13. Note in scale.

14. Membranous
bag.

15. Boy.

16. To entertain.

17. To love.

18. Station.

19. Southeast.

20. Half an em.

21. Guided.

22. Harms.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

1. LORENCE ALLEN
2. LOCATOR
3. ORIGIN
4. PRESS
5. AFRICA
6. TISSUE
7. CURSE
8. MOLLIFY
9. TIP
10. CORPSE
11. SUBSIST
12. DYE
13. NOTE
14. MEMBRANE
15. BOY
16. ENTERTAIN
17. LOVE
18. STATION
19. SOUTHEAST
20. HALF AN EM.
21. GUIDED
22. HARMS

13. He is a —

14. He is a mem-
ber of the

17. Musical note.

20. Retreated.

21. Light
helmets.

24. Bottoms.

26. Burdened.

28. To eat.

30. Gem cutting
cup.

32. Wild cherry.

34. Revolves.

39. Mass of bread

40. Elk.

42. Exclamation.

43. Morning.

44. Constellation.

45. Fence door.

46. Deity.

47. Mohammedan
badge.

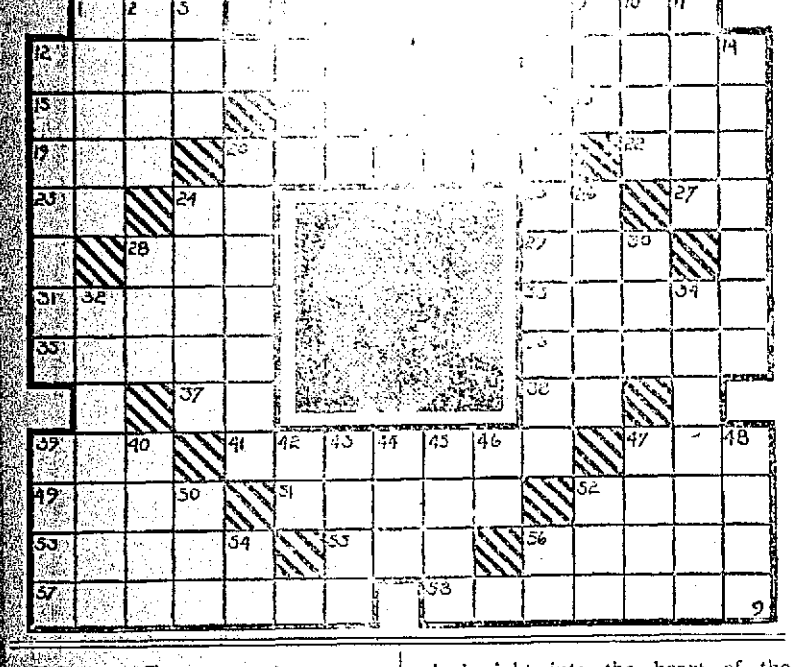
48. Network.

49. Form of "be."

50. Can.

51. Tenth note.

52. No good.



Last Concrete on

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delights the tourist first of all. He thrills to know that he "owns" so massive a thing, when reminded that this great chunk of cement—dropped like an artificial tooth into its groove there in a Colorado river canyon—is costing, with its allied works, \$165,000,000. That's a lot of money.

Needs Real Need

But right away the tourist turns away.

"Say," he jabs his finger at some engineer on the dam, "what's all this for, anyway? Why spend all that money to open another big irrigation project, when there's too much irrigated land already?"

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HORSE-FLY JAKE =

4-8

HMF—INDEED!—UM-M VERY WELL, I'LL TAKE YOU OVER TO THE HOOPLE STABLE!—THE KNOWLEDGE YOU GAINED OF HORSES, AS A LAD, WHILE SWISHING FLIES IN HOGAN'S BLACKSMITH SHOP SHOULD PROVE OF IMMEASURABLE VALUE TO ME!—YES—QUITE

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

HEY, HECK—WAIT UP! I'VE BEEN LOOKIN' ALL OVER FOR YUH

S'MATTER?

WHY, UH—OH—NOTHIN' MUCH! I JUS' WANTED T'TALK WITH YUH

ALLEY OOP

4-8

UP WITH YA, UMPA, MY PET—WE GOTTA GIT OUTA HERE, FORE TH' LEMMANS GIT REORGANIZED!

SOERLY PRESSED BY OVERWHELMING NUMBERS OF LEMMANS, ALLEY OOP, KING GUZ, AND QUEEN UMPATEEDLE WERE SAVED FROM CAPTURE BY THE TIMELY ARRIVAL OF COLA AND DINNY—

AV—I DON'T THINK THERE'S MUCH DANGER OF THAT—

WELL—THERE'S NO TELLING WHAT KING TUNK MIGHT DO—

Au Revoir, but Not Goodby

4-8

WASH AND EASY RUN UP AND DOWN THE BEACH, GATHERING DRIFTWOOD FOR A RAFT.

WE JUST GOTTA FIND AT BOTTLE.

IF WE LOSE THAT MONEY, EASY, WE—HEY! LOOKY HERE!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

4-8

MOTHER IT'S THE MOST TALKED OF THING IN THE TOWN TODAY, AND OUR BOY HAD A HAND IN IT!

I'M PROUD OF HIM!!

IT SAYS HERE THAT FRECKLES MCGOOSHEY AND LIEUTENANT DANNY EMBLEY, WITH THE AID OF NUTTY COOK, BROUGHT ABOUT THE CAPTURE OF EVERY MAN INVOLVED IN THE PLOT!

THE NEW FANGLES (Mom'n Pop)

4-8

IS THIS TRAIL HOT!! I COULD HAVE FALLEN THROUGH THE FLOOR, WHEN TOOT'S OLD LANDLADY SHOWED ME AL PINE'S PHOTO—HE'S A DEAD RINGER FOR WINDY—I GUESS MY HUNCH WASN'T RIGHT, OR NOTHIN'!

AL PINE DID THIS JOB, AL RIGHT! AND MY JOB IS TO GET THIS LITTLE SNIP, TOOT'S, TO ADMIT IT—HERE'S THE PLACE—WHAT A SWANK NEIGHBORHOOD!

Hot on the Trail

4-8

NOW THEN, LET'S SEE WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO GO ABOUT THIS?

I GOT IT!

APARTMENT EIGHT A, PLEASE!!

By COWAN

4-8

OUT OUR WAY

WHY IN THE WIDE WORLD DON'T YOU TAKE ONE AT A TIME, UP THIS NARROW STAIRS?

AWP—GULP! DON'T YANK LIKE THAT! YOU'LL CUT MY HEAD OFF! DON'T ARGUE, NOW—GET ME OUTA THIS.

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

4-8

By WILLIAMS

LISSEN—I WANTCHA T'OO SOMETHIN' FOR ME, I WEAR MY RING—JUS' FOR AWHILE! IT'S TH' ONE YOUR FATHER GAVE ME

HUH? HOW COME?

I THOUGHT I'D LIKED IT SO MUCH

I DO! I JUS' LOVE IT— BUT, BE A PAL, N' ASK NO QUESTIONS! JUS' TAKE GOOD CARE OF IT FOR ME, WILL YA?

By MARTIN

4-8

GIDDAP, DINNY—LES GIT GOIN'—

YOU LEMMAN DON'T NEED T'INK YOU'VE SEEN TH' LAST OF US! WE'RE COMIN' BACK AN' WHEN WE DO, YOU BETTER NOT BE HERE!

WELL—THERE THEY GO—FOUR OF 'EM TOUCHIN' AT HUMANS' FEET—HOLD ON! NEVER HAD TH' MISFORTUNE OF BEIN' KICKED BY 'EM—

By HAMLIN

4-8

A BOTTLE!

OUR BOTTLE!

CHOWERY! MA-MUM! MA-MUM!

A Battle for a Bottle

4-8

IT GIVES ME GREAT PLEASURE, LIEUTENANT EMBLEY, TO ADVISE YOU THAT YOU ARE HEREBY OFFICIALLY INSTRUCTED TO RETURN TO ACTIVE DUTY!!

THE NAVY DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN ADVISED OF YOUR BRILLIANT WORK, AND PROMOTION WILL BE YOUR REWARD! ANYTHING TO SAY?

ALL I CAN THINK OF IS, THANK YOU, SIR!

By BLOSSER

4-8

AL PINE DID THIS JOB, AL RIGHT! AND MY JOB IS TO GET THIS LITTLE SNIP, TOOT'S, TO ADMIT IT—HERE'S THE PLACE—WHAT A SWANK NEIGHBORHOOD!

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Long's Expensive Living Is Flayed

Wall Street or Republicans Keeping Him Up, Says Oklahoman

WASHINGTON (AP)—(A)—Oklahoma's cowboy congressman—Representative Percy L. Gassaway—Sunday night christened Senator Huey P. Long a "political tom-tit" and a "millionaire dictator," then suggested a substitute for his "share-the-wealth" program.

The high-heeled booted, 10-gallon-hatted Southwesterner gave in his prepared radio speech this definition of a "tom-tit":

"It is a very small bird that tries to imitate a woodpecker. It will attack the biggest tree in the forest—just like the Kingfisher is attacking President Roosevelt—and after hammering away vigorously for awhile it flies around the tree to see if it has knocked it down or pecked a hole in it."

Gassaway mentioned that he and Long have the same birthday—August 20—but asserted that "he was born in the dark of the moon while I was born in the light of the moon."

"My old negro mammy," added the pugnacious Gassaway, who has a reputation for fistfights, "used to say: 'Be careful, child, about playing with these white trash born in the dark of the moon.'"

Asserting that Long proposes to grind the average man down to a lousy \$3,000 a year," the cowboy said—to the senate—"You are either in the pay of Wall Street or the Republican party."

"Follow," he continued, "how in the dickens can a man keep a fleet of high-powered automobiles, airplanes, an army of servants, and live in a mansion on \$3,000 a year? How can you maintain a mansion in New Orleans, together in Shreveport, and live in the most expensive and luxurious hotel in Washington, keep a body guard and entertain lavishly, and visit such

places as the grandest hotels in New York on a lousy \$5,000 a year?

"Old Hoss, I think you are kidding the public. You must be getting more money than that. Still, you would grind the laboring man down to that insignificant sum."

Whereupon Gassaway satirically unfolded his own scheme of starting the printing presses and giving everybody as much money as the richest man in the world has. Then, he continued, there would be no need for schools, because nobody would have to learn to work; no need for preachers because the search for the "root of all evil" would end.

"Foreigners" could be hired to do the work, he said, continuing: "You know, in my honest opinion, Communists, Fascists, 'Pretty Boy' Floyds, Dillingers and Barrows are Sunday school boys compared to a man who hides behind the cloak of immunity granted by his high office and preys upon the innocence and ignorance of the unsuspecting."

Nazis Defeated in Danzig Referendum

Germany Fails to Get Two-Thirds Vote in Self-Governing City

FREE CITY OF DANZIG (AP)—(A)—Danzig refused to "follow the Nazis" in Sunday's Volkstag election when Nazis fell short in a heated drive for a vital two-thirds majority which would have given them absolute control of the mandated city. Despite the heavy artillery by high lieutenants of Adolf Hitler, final officials returns disclosed the Nazis polled only 59.23 per cent. They received 139,200 of 232,279 votes cast.

A two-thirds majority would have permitted them to alter the city's constitution and abolish opposition parties, although such changes would be subject to approval of the League of Nations.

Hitlerite orators, predicting an overwhelming victory, had foreseen a Nazi dictatorship followed by a campaign for reunion with the Fatherland. They appealed to voters to duplicate the overwhelming Nazi triumph which saw the Saar basin territory return to Germany. But, after piling up a heavy early lead, the Nazi margin dropped when returns from the municipality of Danzig came in.

It was the first stinging setback Adolf Hitler has suffered since he came into power. Catholics and Socialists united to turn back the Nazi attempt to establish a dictatorship.

So important did Hitler view the election that he sent Gen. Hermann Wilhelm, minister of aviation and Prussian premier, and Dr. Paul Joseph Goebbels, propaganda minister, into the Free City to stake their reputations as orators.

The Nazis increased their strength by about eight per cent over the last election, as in the old Volkstag they had 52 per cent of the members. Polish parties with 8,100 votes increased their strength by more than 1,000.

Strong Nazi opposition developed in Danzig municipality and in Sopot, a fashionable Baltic resort. So disappointing were the figures for Danzig municipality that the Nazi-controlled senate which ran the election went home to bed without publishing their vote.

The vote announced for Nazi opposition was:

Social Democrats 37,330; Communists 6,980; Centrists 30,050; German Nationalists 9,700; Front Fighters 750; Polish 8,100.

Raymond Hamilton Captured



An hour before this picture was taken Raymond Hamilton, public enemy and the most hunted criminal in the country, was taken into custody by Sheriff Schmidt behind Ray, and six other officers, in a railroad yard in Fort Worth Texas. He was arrested with two companions after one of them was apprehended in Dallas and led officers to the bandit. Hamilton is a product of West Dallas from whence came the notorious Clyde and Bonnie Parker.



To this pair Raymond Hamilton was just another railroad bum. They said they string along with him because he was a free spender. Left is Glenn Allen, Springfield, Ill., who was with Hamilton when he was arrested in a Fort Worth yard. Nolan Alfred, Tunello, Miss., right, was arrested in Dallas while there to deliver a note for Ray. He led officers to the fugitive.

Expensive practice and games, and the fact of being pushed all over the field by virtual semi-pro college teams, is asking itself "What's this all about anyway?"

So the perennial proposal comes up: "Let's chuck all this business in the ash-can, and let the kids play marbles or mumble-the-peg, or anything they want to, just for fun, and forget all about the glory of Old Siwash."

And the perennial answer always comes back: "But you can't DO that!" "Oh, can't you? Well, here's a little story of an Ohio freshwater college that did it five years ago, and still does it and likes it."

It Can Be Done

Five years ago the students at Antioch College in southern Ohio voted to abolish all intercollegiate athletics. They had noted that the intercollegiate game only provided "superfluous training for men already physically outstanding and that furthermore it was costing a lot of money. You see, Antioch wasn't playing in the Yale bowl, and the financial packings were somewhat slimmer than they are at Yale, Southern California. So it was easier to make the plunge.

But now after five years, 97 per cent of the 624 students at Antioch are taking part in intramural athletics. The program is supported by a \$2700 annual appropriation from the funds of the community government, and is run by an athletic committee of student and faculty.

Given the absence of any intercollegiate competition, they manage to keep their athletic fields and a fine new gym house all the time. The faculty has five teams entered in some of the up-to-date leagues. Members of winning teams get medals and letters are awarded for totaling a certain number of points in taking part in athletic games.

Sweet, Unsullied Sport

Official abolition of intercollegiate athletics hasn't completely stopped this sort of competition, even at Antioch. There have been times when a few big teams from out of town have come pretty good, and challenge of some nearby college team. The boys just kind of hitch-hiked their way, carrying their own rackets and bats, and played off the match for two without any backing from the home campus.

That's intercollegiate competition as it's intercollegiate competition. But when the Yales get so hot up about beating Harvards that they'll pack their checks and pads in a suitcase and throw their wits to Cambridge, Baby-Lexy will be living off his old age pension.

Well, who knows, these dizzy days? Even that might happen!

Expect Roosevelt Home on Tuesday

Relief Program Spending Plans May Get Under Way This Week

WASHINGTON (AP)—(A)—Administration leaders looked Monday for President Roosevelt's return Tuesday to start the task of spending the huge work relief grant.

The president started home from the Florida coast Monday.

President to Fight

WASHINGTON (AP)—(A)—Concerned over slow progress congress has made on administration legislation, Democratic leaders Sunday considered urging President Roosevelt to scrap some highly controversial matters. At the same time word was circulated in administration quarters that Mr. Roosevelt plans to put pressure on congress to get busy on his program when he returns to Washington this week to start the \$4,880,000,000 relief program.

With congress well into its fourth month and the relief bill the only major administration measure approved, both senate and house majority leaders privately assert that if pressure is used in an effort to put through the social security, NRA extension, the utility holding company, and centralized banking reform measures, a session extending into late summer is almost certain.

Survey of Situation

Leaders surveying the situation Sunday found:

House Democrats and Republicans both split on the social security program to supplement the relief measure with old age pensions with House majority leaders divided on how to bring up the measure for action to prevent the \$200-a-month Townsend plan from being adopted.

The only administration measure ready for senate consideration is the Copeland food and drug revision bill. Intended for passage this week. None of the other administration measures are out of senate committees and few have been taken up.

The NRA extension, social security, and house approved bonus bills are tangled in the senate finance committee.

Neither house nor senate interstate commerce committees have put the Rayburn-Wheeler utility holding company measures in shape, the former not having completed hearings and the latter not having begun them.

That no move had been made to start consideration by the same committees on a group of bills to put all forms of transportation, air, motor, waterway and rail, under the Interstate Commerce Commission.

She's Too Shy to Sue Sally Rand



Oh, why is the lady hiding behind the bubble? Sh-h-h, don't alarm her, she's shy. Shy? Oh, terribly, painfully shy is Rosita Royce, who timidly says she's the only bubble dancer who wears no costume at all, but that she'd never, never think of suing Sally Rand, even if Rosita did copyright the idea last year. A Sunday school girl from Kansas City, she shyly says she thought of the bubble dance when she was only 10—but has been too shy to come right out and say so until now.

The Laredo-Mexico City sector of the Pan American highway employs more than 8000 men. An effort is being made to have this road ready for motor travel along its entire length by May 1.

The whooping crane is enabled to sound its peculiar trumpeting call by means of an unusually long windpipe, much of which is coiled against the breastbone.

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An Isolatorist
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Former Doughboy—"Don't quote me, lady, but when I was in France, I always (though General Pershing was a bit aloof)"—Foreign Service, V. F. W.

Speaking of Handicaps
Mother—"What did your father say when you smashed the new car?"
Son—"Shall I leave out the swear words?"
Mother—"Yes, of course."
Son—"He didn't say a word."—Silly Stories.

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Hempstead to Get Terracing Program

16,000 Acres to Be Worked in 10 Counties of This State

Terracing of about 16,000 acres of land in 10 Arkansas counties will begin within the next few weeks under direction of the state agricultural extension service and the rural rehabilitation corporation of the FERA, J. C. Barrett, district agent, has announced.

Two of the counties include Hempstead and Nevada. County Agent Frank Stanley could not be reached Monday for a statement regarding the approximate acreage to be terraced in Hempstead.

Tractors and graders are being placed in counties where contracts have been signed by farmers organized in county soil improvement corporations, calling for terracing of 1,000 acres or more by each group at \$3 per hour. After operating costs have been paid the balance accruing from the transaction is applied on the purchase price of the machinery, and when obligations have been discharged the machinery becomes the property of the county corporation. E. B. Whitaker is in charge of the project for the Rural Rehabilitation Corporation, and J. M. Hewitt is assisting.

Each county has a terracing crew consisting of four men, two to operate the equipment and two to run terrace lines. One man for staking lines is supplied by the farmer signing the contract. The tractors are of the crawler type, powered by Diesel type motors, and the terracing machines are of the type known as "Ditchers."

County soil improvement corporations are sponsored by county agents, county FERA administrators and groups of farmers.

Ice-bracelets containing a pellet of dry ice proved popular in this county last summer. The pellets of solid carbon dioxide lasted an hour and aided in reducing body temperatures during the heat waves.

Defective Admits He Beat Child to Death

DRUMRIGHT, Okla.—(P)—Jay Williams, 20, described as mentally deficient, arrested here Monday, confessed he beat Kathryn Cline, 7, to death with a rock because "she wanted to go to her dead mother." Police Chief Jackery said Monday.

'Haunted House' to Be Played Tuesday

Junior Class to Repeat Presentation That Was Rained Out

A second presentation of "The Haunted House," junior class play, will be shown at 8 p. m. Tuesday at Hope city hall auditorium.

3 Premiers Will Meet at Stresa

Mussolini, MacDonald and Flandin to Gather at Peace Roundtable

Indications in London and Paris Monday were that the three premiers will meet Thursday when the tripartite conference opens at Stresa, Italy. Premier Mussolini, as host, will represent his nation.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald and Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, will represent Great Britain.

Premier Pierre Etienne Flandin may appear for France.

Meanwhile, Soviet Russia served notice through its official newspaper that she would not consider any decisions reached at Stresa to be binding if they conflict with Russian views of Europe's peace needs.

22 Die as Storms Sweep the South

Tornadoes Take Heavy Toll From Texas East to Florida

McCOMB, Miss.—(P)—Twenty-two persons Sunday were reported dead and more than 150 injured in the wake of tornadoes which swept over Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas, Alabama and Florida over the week-end.

The tornado took its heaviest toll in this section of Mississippi with eight reported dead at Gloster, six at Gillsburg and three on a plantation near Woodville, Miss.

Rescue crews searched for the bodies of nine persons believed to have drowned when winds overturned their houseboat at a logging camp six miles south of Lake Providence. Three others died in scattered sections of Louisiana and Texas.

Among the reported dead were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Whittington of Gloster. Whittington is an uncle of Congressman Will Whittington of Mississippi, and a brother of state Senator Luther Whittington.

Sarah Ruth Dean Sentence Upheld

Life Penalty for Murder of Doctor Associate Is Affirmed

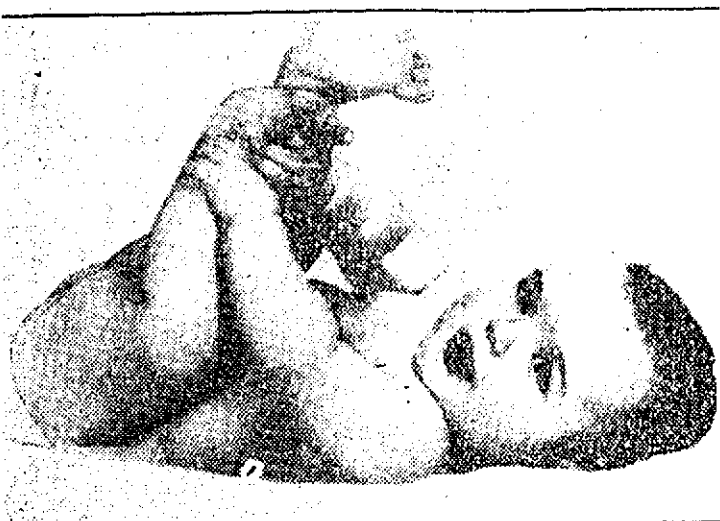
JACKSON, Miss.—(P)—The Mississippi Supreme Court Monday affirmed the life sentence of Dr. Sarah Ruth Dean, Greenwood child specialist, for the alleged prison slaying of her one-time clinical associate, Dr. John P. Kennedy.

Anything Once

Willie Weems—"Honey, don't you think you could manage to live on \$25 a week?"

Dora Schultz—"Get the license, I'll try it a week." — Florida Times-Union.

—And She's a Knockout!—



A husky little lady is Joan Hannah Williams Dempsey, daughter of former heavyweight champion Jack Dempsey, shown here in the first pictures taken since her birth last August in New York. She grins happily posing with proud papa above, and below is what might be described as a general view of her.

Here and There

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ing the panic. He'll pass with it. He's no true fighter—just a skillful dealer of face cards to a people tired of looking at deuces and treys.

But the LaFollette program—and very important parts of it have been borrowed by Mr. Roosevelt—offers something America can tie to, if the people have the courage and patience to tie to anything.

I am going to summarize the LaFollette program as it has stood these 25 years, and as it stands today on the editorial page of the Progressive newspaper, and will ask you to note how many of these things appear in the daily report on the Roosevelt administration:

1. Public ownership of natural resources and of those activities with a public interest—light, heat, power and transportation.
2. Elimination of war profits; government monopoly on the manufacture and sale of munitions; a plebiscite on wars which would send American soldiers to foreign soil.
3. High inheritance and income taxes to be levied on the beneficiaries of monopoly.
4. Development of farmers' co-operative movements and also consumers' co-operatives.
5. Development of a strong trade union movement.
6. A government-owned central banking system.
7. Adequate old age pensions and unemployment insurance.
8. Adequate poor and unemployment relief and the restoration of purchasing power in the hands of the great masses of the people.

Relief Funds to Buy Farm Homes

Ownership of Land to Be Achieved by Many Agricultural Workers

WASHINGTON — (P) — President Roosevelt was empowered by the \$4,850,000,000 work relief bill to use part of the huge sum for financing farm purchases by tenants and sharecroppers. The authority was granted by an amendment inserted by Senator

Broadway Tourists

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Mackey Thomas, past president of the Broadway association; also representatives of the San Diego Exposition and Chamber of Commerce all along the Broadway route.

Mayor R. A. Boyett announced that no parking would be allowed on Third street from 1 to 4:30 p. m. Tuesday, the street being cleared for the motorcade. Boy Scouts will have charge of directing traffic.

Escort Across State

The Arkansas Highway department will provide a motorcycle escort across the state from Texarkana to the Tennessee line. A number of Hope citizens will meet the boosters at Fulton toll bridge and escort the caravan to Hope.

The main objectives of the national convention at Nashville are to plan to draw traffic over the newly completed all-paved coast-to-coast highway and to celebrate the laying of the last concrete that made the Broadway of America's first continuous ribbon of concrete across the continent.

Watch Your Status

Tough Guy—"For two cents I'd knock your block off."

Wise Guy—"Get away from me, you dirty professional!"—Wampus.

Under his amendment, Russell said, the president was authorized to provide credit for financing the purchase of farms or farm equipment by "a class which has heretofore not been reached by the recovery program." Numerous economic and social ills have been attributed to the tenant system, especially in the South. Approximately 44 per cent of all farms in the country, representing more than 431,000,000 acres, now is farmed by tenants and croppers.

Russell said that in many cases the tenant was as worthy of credit as the owner. He cited that 1,550,000 agricultural workers now are on the relief rolls. No better relief could be afforded them, he said, than to facilitate their ownership of land.

"All of human history shows that no country can be prosperous permanently unless its economic system enables its citizens have an opportunity to own their own homes," said Russell.

PERIODIC CONSTIPATION Ends Without Worry

Feen-a-mint, the delicious tasting chewing gum laxative ends the discomfort of upset, sluggish days. You can take it confidently, too—it does not form a habit, and requires no increasing dosage. Because Feen-a-mint is chewed the laxative is mixed with salivary juices and enters the system scientifically as nature intended. You thus avoid shocking yourself with a harsh, invasive mass. The result is a thorough, full action but one so gentle that doctors prescribe the laxative for including children. Delay is dangerous. For day, get back on schedule and stay there with delicious Feen-a-mint. 15c, 25c at druggists.

The DARK BLOND

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BEGIN HERE TODAY

MILlicent GRAVES, secretary to a prominent business man, finds her employer in his office dead. Millicent has a notebook in which she had begun to write a confession. In panic she rushes away, registers at a hotel under an assumed name.

JARVIS HAPP, a stranger, offers to help her. He sends her to a beauty shop where she is transformed into a beauty, then takes her home, introducing her as his secretary. She meets HARRY FIELD, a stenographer, ROBERT BUCHANAN, a stenographer, and MRS. HAPP.

That night a note under her door informs Millicent, "The woman in black came to see me." Millicent sees the woman in black drive away and follows in her car. She walks home, enters the chauffeur's quarters and finds him dead.

Next morning Millicent and HARRY discuss the case. HARRY convinces DETECTIVE BUCHANAN that Bob is not known more than he has told. The detective is about to send for Bob when Mrs. HARRY says, "Don't let any one leave the room."

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXII

DETECTIVE BUCHANAN turned to Mrs. HARRY and said, "Go ahead and tell us your story."

Mrs. HARRY stared steadily at Millicent.

Millicent thought, "Well here it comes. She saw me throw the keys out of my window. She's going to make a direct accusation. Then they'll start making trouble for me, and Mr. HARRY will probably tell about that handkerchief."

Millicent managed to keep her eyes absolutely unwavering. To her surprise, she saw Mrs. HARRY's eyes grow less hard and less certain.

"We're waiting," Detective BUCHANAN reminded her.

"It happens," Mrs. HARRY said slowly, "that I am Robert's mother. I feel that I am entitled to see that my boy gets a square deal."

"No one's trying to give him any thing else except a square deal," BUCHANAN said.

"I happen to know," she said slowly, "that Robert was in this house all night last night."

"How do you know that?"

"I looked in on him after he had gone to bed. He was sleeping. I fixed things so that he couldn't get out without my knowledge."

"What do you mean?" JARVIS HARRY asked.

"You know what I mean," she said. "Robert has been a little wild. I've suspected that he has been carrying on without my knowledge."

"You mean with . . ."

JARVIS HARRY never finished his question. His wife interrupted him by saying, "It doesn't make a particle of difference with whom I mean. Jarvis! The fact remains that I arranged a little trap so that Robert couldn't have left his room last night without my knowledge. I stretched a very fine silk thread across the threshold about eight inches from the floor. This morning I made it a point to look at the thread. It was intact. Robert was still sleeping. I broke the thread and removed it."

HARRY said slowly, "Why did you pick on last night as the night to make this test?"

"Because," she said, "last night was the night when he would have gone out had your suspicious been true."

"This isn't getting us anywhere," BUCHANAN said.

"It's getting us this far," Mrs. HARRY insisted vehemently. "It's establishing beyond any question that Robert was in his room last night."

"Could he have got out through a window?" BUCHANAN asked.

"No, his room's on a second story."

Millicent did some rapid thinking. Last night had been Vera DUCHENE's night out. Apparently JARVIS HARRY thought that Bob Caise had been sneaking out and meeting Vera DUCHENE. He thought Bob had been with Vera the night before. Now Mrs. HARRY's statement gave the lie to that theory. Was Mrs. HARRY's statement correct?

Looking at her Millicent decided that the woman would undoubtedly lie to save her son from anything dangerous or even unpleasant.

Detective BUCHANAN, however, was convinced. Slowly, he nodded and said, "Well, that lets that theory out. It commences to look as though some other person might have been driving Robert's automobile."

"What do you mean when you say some other person?" Mrs. HARRY asked.

"I mean that perhaps Harry Field wasn't driving that car after all. Perhaps some other person was driving it. Field might have been driving another car."

Mrs. HARRY said, "Anything is possible. I am not interested in the solution of the murder except that naturally I want to see justice done. But I am interested in protecting my son from unjust accusations."

BUCHANAN shrugged his shoulders and said, "Okay, ma'am. I guess we're gradually working the thing out now. I'll go ask a few more questions. I want to find out something about the person who wrote this note."

"What note?" Mrs. HARRY asked.

BUCHANAN extended the typewritten note to Mrs. HARRY. "That note."

SHE read it and, watching her face Millicent could detect no faintest flicker of expression.

"How frightfully mysterious!" she exclaimed.

BUCHANAN nodded grimly.

"And did you drain the pond?"

"Yes."

"What did you find?"

"The keys."

Mrs. HARRY frowned thoughtfully, staring at the typewritten paper.

"And," BUCHANAN went on, "that note was written on this typewriter—this one right here."

"How do you know that?" Mrs. HARRY asked.

"I know it because I've examined the typewriting."

He moved toward the door paused for a minute then turned to Mrs. HARRY and said, "If you don't mind I'd like to have you come with me for a moment. I've got one or two questions I'd like to ask you in private."

Mrs. HARRY turned and accompanied BUCHANAN to the doorway and said to JARVIS HARRY, "I think it's only fair to tell you that Sergeant Mahoney himself is going to take charge of this case. It's de-

scribed some queer angles. I've reported to the sergeant over the telephone and he's going to take charge personally."

"Very well," JARVIS HARRY said. BUCHANAN stood to one side. Mrs. HARRY stepped into the corridor. BUCHANAN walked out and pulled the door shut behind him.

JARVIS HARRY, staring at Millicent, said, "And don't ever kid yourself that Sergeant Mahoney is anyone's fool. He's a smooth worker and a

never snap."

"I'm glad," Millicent said in a low voice. "I hope they solve the murder."

"I'm going to see that they do solve the murder," JARVIS HARRY told her.

Slowly HARRY opened a drawer in his desk, took out Millicent's handkerchief. "I want you to try and identify that handkerchief for me," he said.

MILlicent, sitting quite still, almost held her breath.

"Just what," she asked in a thin, frightened voice, "do you want me to do?"

"I want you to cultivate Vera DUCHENE. I want you to look through her handkerchiefs. I want you to find if she has any of similar pattern."

"You think this might be Miss DUCHENE's handkerchief?"

"I don't know," he said, "but I'm going to investigate this situation thoroughly, and she's the one I'm going to start with."

Millicent took the handkerchief, spread it on the desk and, as she did so, carefully looked it over to make certain there were no distinguishing marks which would identify it as being hers. It was a handkerchief which had been in the pocket of her fur coat, and she suddenly remembered was one of a pair she had received from a friend for Christmas. The other one must be in her trunk.

She heard JARVIS HARRY saying, "I also have some good news for you. I understand that the trunk which you had as Millicent Graves is going to be stored by the police. I think that I can arrange to get access to that trunk and if there is anything in particular which you want . . ."

Millicent interrupted hastily, "Oh don't do that! It would be dangerous and, beside, I don't need anything in there. You have been most thoughtful in providing clothes for me. I have absolutely everything I need."

"Nevertheless," he said slowly and, she thought, perhaps ominously, "there will be certain things that you might like—your own lingerie—your handkerchiefs, for instance."

She found it impossible to say a word by way of answer.

"And now," he said, "please get busy on this little job of detective work. I want you to try to find Vera DUCHENE's handkerchief box and see if you can find a handkerchief which corresponds to this. If you can, bring it to me."

"Very well," Millicent said and got to her feet. She smiled at him and walked down the corridor to her own room.

She had barely opened the door and stepped inside when she realized that someone else was in the room.

She whirled toward the closet.

Vera DUCHENE emerged from the closet.

"What are you doing here?" Millicent demanded.

"Just returning your visit, dearie," Vera DUCHENE said.

"What right have you to enter my closet?"

Vera DUCHENE, smiling sweetly, said, "I just wondered how it happened your dress got all covered with mud, dearie."

And Vera DUCHENE held out before her the dress which Millicent had been wearing the night before.

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For two years or more the mild ripe Chesterfield tobacco are stored in wooden hogheads to age.

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What do you mean, three years from seed bed to cigarettes . . .

I mean simply this—it actually takes about three years to make a Chesterfield cigarette. It all starts with these little plants, called tobacco seedlings. They are grown under cover and transplanted to the open fields in the early spring.

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